MS-508/MM-2208 SALES AND DISTRIBUTION MANAGEMENT

Master of Business Administration P.G. Diploma in Marketing Management (MBA-10/12/13/16/17/PGDMM-10/16/17)

4th/2nd Semester, Examination-2020

Time Allowed: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

Note: This paper is of Eighty (80) marks divided into Two (02) sections A and B. Attempt the question contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section-A

(Long Answer type Questions)

Note: Section-'A' contains Five (05) long answer type questions of Twenty (20) marks each. Learners are required to answer any two (02) questions only. $(2\times 20=40)$

- 1. Explain the process of selling. What are the characteristics of a good seller?
- Describe different types of sales organization.
 Discuss the direct and indirect selling method using suitable examples.
- 3. Explain different level of distribution channels.
 What different conflicts arises in channels of distribution and how they can be resolved?
- 4. What is Retailing? How does the use of technology enhances the efficiency of retail business?
- 5. What do you understand from market logistics? Explain its objectives and decisions of market logistics with suitable examples.

Section-B

(Short answer type questions)

Note: Section-B Contains Eight (08) short answer type questions of Ten (10) marks each. Learners

are required to answer any four (04) questions only. $(4\times10=40)$

- 1. What is personal selling? Explain the features of personal selling and distinguish it from industrial selling.
- 2. Explain the concept of sales territories. How it is useful in sales management?
- 3. Describe the methods of sales forecasting.
- 4. Explain different sources of sales force recruitment.
- Discuss sales contests contribution in sales force motivation.
- 6. Examine the role of inventory management in sales management.
- 7. Explain the new trends in distribution channel management. Explain the functions of each distribution channel.

8. What is warehouse management? Explain the warehouse management features.
